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PLAY BALL
Chapter 6
"The Showdown!"

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Maybelle is beginning to be nervous about her business deal with Segundo, who forces her to accept money for her work. Jack is to taken aboard a ship sailing that night, but cannot be taken aboard until all the people are off, so he is put in a warehouse temporarily.

Doris tells her father of Jack's meeting with Senator Hornell, and Sutton phones Hornell and inquires for Jack, Hornell tells him, "I am flattered at your call, Mr. Sutton, but I believe you are more likely to know where my son is than I." Hornell is quite furbus over Jack's strange action and has given him an hour to call him before disowning him utterly.

That night Jack is unbound by a boy searching for a lost baseball, but he is attacked by Segundo's men, come to put him on the ship about to sail, but with the aid of the boy and some barrels, gets away.

Segundo again attempts to persuade Sutton to change his plans about the loan, but Sutton tells him he does not wish Segundo's party to get into power in his country again. Segundo asks if Sutton would change his mind, if he could have the investigation called off, but Sutton, not to be caught, replied, "I don't know what influence you have on Hornell, but frankly, I wouldn't spoil his fun for anything. Let him continue with the investigation!"

After Segundo leaves Jack bursts in and explains to Doris what happens, then grabs the phone and calls his father and explains just as the hour of grace is up. He is pleased, but when Jack won't come right over and says he is with the Suttons, he gets peeved again, calls for his secretary and changes his will. Jack tells Sutton that Segundo and the Consul are behind this plot and wants to know what they have against Sutton, or Doris or himself? Sutton is surprised to hear the Consul is in it, too, as he thought the Consul had no connection with Segundo. They decide to go to the consuls, and Doris insists upon going too.

The Consul has just heard of Jack's getaway when the Suttons force an entrance. Maybelle has decided to break off with that Gang and calls, entering from the rear. While Sutton, et al., are with the Consul, threatening to deport or jail him if he is trying to injure any of them, they hear Maybelle on other wise of panel, call Segundo and then scream. Jack discovers secret panel and all go through. In the areaway outside the building they are pinned under three cars which upset on them.

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